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for employees of the
City of Saint Paul

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Celebrate Saint Paul's Hall of Famer

Join thousands of Saint Paulites and baseball fans on Saturday, June 9th, at the celebration of Dave Winfield's induction into the Hall of Fame. Attend the inter-league game between the Minnesota Twins and the Pittsburgh Pirates at 6:05 p.m. at the Metrodome in downtown Minneapolis.

Besides the Hall of Fame celebration, other highlights of the Minnesota Twins game include discounted ticket prices and food coupon options and Land O' Lakes Winfield Hologram Cards to the first 5000 fans 14 and under.

Special tickets for this celebration are only \$10, and are located on the third-base side. Mail orders include a four-dollar handling charge. For more information call Scott O'Connell of the Twins at 612-375-7450.

Winfield grew up playing baseball in Saint Paul, and he led the University of Minnesota Gophers team to

the College World Series. He was drafted by teams in the NFL, NBA, and Major League Baseball, the only person ever to hold that distinction. Winfield played professional baseball for 22 years, most notably with the

San Diego Padres, New York Yankees, and Toronto Blue Jays. He played two years with the Twins, getting his landmark 3000th hit on September 16th, 1993.

When Winfield retired, only four major leaguers had more hits and more home runs than he had. They were Hank

Aaron, Willie Mays, Eddie Murray, and Stan Musial. He (and Twins teammate Kirby Puckett) will be inducted into the Hall of Fame on Sunday, August 5th.



Volunteers still needed for Charlie Brown Around Town Paint-Off event

If you can roll plastic tarp, are talented with duct tape, and like fun, you might be a perfect volunteer for the Charlie Brown Around Town Paint-Off event being held Friday, May 18th, through Tuesday, May 22nd, at RiverCentre. The most help is needed on Friday from 8 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., and Tuesday, during the same hours. Volunteers are welcome



at any time frame, however.

They're needed to be general helpers, go-fers, and to staff the

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Places to go. Things to do.

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A sampling of designs for Charlie Brown Around Town



Charlie Brown's Portage to Pig's Eye

Artist: Robert Perro

Sponsor: Acceleration Minnesota



Where IS Everybody?

Artist: Duane Barnhart

Sponsor: Amidon Graphics



Family Barber Shop

Artist: Duane Barnhart

Sponsor: O'Gara's Bar and Grill



Charlie Appleseed

Artist: Saprice Glaser

Sponsor: HealthEast Care System



You're a Winner, Charlie Brown

Artist: Mary Schill

Sponsor: Ford Motor Company



Spread Your Wings and Fly, Charlie Brown

Artist: Mary Schill

Sponsor: Regions Hospital



Prince Charlie

Artist: Barbara Friberg

Sponsor: Bread & Chocolate



Minnesota Gardener

Artist: Ally Mumm

Sponsor: Frauenshuh Companies



Good Grief!

Artist: Craig Nordeen

Sponsor: College of St. Catherine

Saint Paul, Minnesota. Founded in 1849. Rediscovered in 2001

Take Lyme Disease Precautions

The chance of contracting Lyme disease can be minimized by avoiding exposure to deer ticks, which carry the disease. Although present all summer long, young deer ticks are most active during the months of May, June, and July. Deer ticks are very small, no bigger than a pinhead in their larval and nymphal stages, making them difficult to see.

Ticks favor a moist, shaded environment, and are usually located close to the ground. The best method of Lyme disease prevention is to wear light-colored clothing so that ticks can be spotted more easily, tuck pant legs into socks or boots, tuck shirts into pants, wear a hat and long-sleeved shirt, and avoid over-hanging trees and brush. Application of insect repellents containing DEET should also help reduce the risk of tick attachment.

Transmission of the tick bacteria is unlikely to occur before 36 hours of tick attachment, so daily checks for ticks and their prompt removal help prevent infection. Embedded ticks should be removed using fine-tipped tweezers. Do not use petroleum jelly, a hot match, nail polish or other products.

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information desk when the public is invited to the event on Sunday from Noon to 5:00 and Monday from 2:00 to 7:00.

The Paint-Off is a great chance to get a sneak preview of the statues as they're being created. You'll see artists at work on the creations that will be on display all summer.

Internet readers of the City Update should call Sandra Wicklund at 651-266-8502 by Thursday, May 17th. Other volunteers may show up at RiverCentre's Touchstone Energy® Place at the information desk.

Signs of Lyme disease can include a "bulls-eye rash," or flu-like symptoms such as fever, stiff neck, headache, joint and muscle aches, or fatigue, although some infected people have no recognized symptoms. Lyme disease is best treated in its early stages. Treatment with antibiotics in the early stages is usually successful. If left untreated, the disease can cause arthritis, heart disease, brain, or nerve disorders. Although a Lyme disease vaccine is available, it may not be as helpful as hoped—talk to your doctor about the latest findings, or do some research to get up-to-date information.

Farmer's Market Directory Available

Summer is right around the corner, which can only mean one thing... the Farmer's Markets are back! Eating at least five servings of fruits and vegetables every day can reduce your risk of developing certain cancers by 50%.

This week, make an effort to eat one more fruit or vegetable every day. Add sliced fruit to your cereal, have an apple at lunch, add green peppers or tomatoes to your sandwich, or be adventuresome and add strawberries or blueberries to a green salad. Visit a local farmer's market where you can choose from an array of healthy, fresh, mouth-watering produce.

If you would like to receive a FREE copy of the Fresh Produce and More 2001 Directory, which lists over 470 farmer's markets in Minnesota, please send an e-mail to us at cityfit@ci.stpaul.mn.us or call Anne Nelson at 651-266-8899 and leave your name and an inter-office mailing address.

May 24th blood drive

This is a true story. Recently (4/11/01) I sat at the hospital with my friend while her husband had routine hip replacement surgery. There were some complications and he lost about half of the blood in his body.

He was in intensive care, and there was a mad rush to find blood for him. He didn't get blood until 12+ hours after the surgery, and then he was given O negative because they couldn't find the exact match he needed. He ended up getting 6 units of blood.... eventually.

This happened right here in Saint Paul at St. Joe's hospital. The staff

repeatedly told us about the critical shortage of blood across the nation. I've certainly heard it before.... I've believed it, I guess.... but that day, I saw what it could mean.

Please give blood on May 24th at the next City/County Blood Drive. I'd be happy to schedule an appointment for you. Call me at 266-6530.

Give blood in the field to avoid Downtown hassles

Want to give blood but don't want the hassle of downtown parking? Why not schedule your appointment at the Dale St. garage?

A second site for blood donation is now available. Donations will be

taken at the Municipal Equipment garage on Thursday, May 24, 8 A.M. to 11 A.M. Call 488-8348 for an appointment.

Picnic help needed!

The Employee Relations Committee needs your help in organizing and staffing the City Employees Picnic..

The committee is seriously short-handed at this time. If there are enough volunteers, there'll be a picnic. If not, there won't. It's that simple. If you'd like to help, call Theresa Sullivan at 651-266-8812.

In the May 4th City Update we listed employees who had the 20th, 25th, 30th, and 35th work anniversaries. This time we list those who have worked for the City for 15 years. Soon we'll mention those who've worked for ten years.

Citizen Service

Edward Smith

City Attorney

Kyle Frascione

Human Rights

Remedios

Evangelista-Vere

Legislative Operating

Jean Birkholz

Libraries

Elaine Harvey

Judith Hoffman

Suzanne McGinn

Robert Nelson

Kimberly Tyler

LIEP

Mark Kaisersatt

Christine Rozek

Mayor's**Administration**

Todd Hurley

Parks and Recreation

Barron Chapman

John Downs

Shawn Fisher

Cynthiz Fowler

Philip Hagelberger

Michael Hahn

Calvin Haines

Janet Hartman

John Heidenrich

Mary Holmberg

Scott Kruse

Michael Long

Jody Martinez

Cynthia Morrison

David Patsche

John Pfluger

Janice Rick

Miles Quesada

Thomas Ridge

Deborah Roth

Colleen Tusa

Stacy Williams

PED

Frank Klecker

Parul Mordorski

Tanya Traeger

Mark Vanderschaaf

Police

Sharon Arvin

Ann Bebeau

Jeffery Dick

Rhonda Gillquist

Sharon Hanestad

Susan Jones

Lennea Lopez

Timothy McCarthy

Jane Mead

Jeffrey Nowicki

Theresa Person

Mark Pierce

Timothy Rehak

Kevin Reinke

Mary Rubio

Molly Schwartz

Jon Sherwood

Mary Stewart

Maureen Watters

Fire

Joseph Barilla

Stuart Bestland

Douglas Biron

Michael Butler

Anthony Connelly

John Kaiser

Richard Leitner

John Monogue, Jr.

Amy O'Donnell

Timothy Regan

Michael Selander

Neil Smith

Anthony Vanelli

Douglas Wardell

Public Health

Arlene Becker

Diane holmgren

Public Works

Lawrence Ackerman

John Anderson

Mark Anderson

Bruce Beese

Allen Clausen

Bruce Elder

William Haglund

Roger Dzuck

Thomas Fiebiger

Edward Hally

Karl Johnson

Michael Kassan

Jeffrey Lemmons

Patrick Lowry

Eriks Ludins

Kenneth Margl

Bobby Markgraf

Charles Mickelson

Brian Montgomery

Colleen Paavola

Leslie Richardson

Richard Solheid

Donald Swearingen

Gerald Trost

James Zieba

**Technology and
Management Services**

Michael Michaud

Bruce Riebe

Kimberly Robinson

Jean Smith

Carolyn Vee

Water

Michael Anderson

Gary Baumann

Michael Beal

Binh Huynh

James Bode

James Burchard

Robert Cadorette

Gregory Chevre

Stanley Denkinger

Metric Giles

Richard Hagel

Robert Hamm

Todd Hansford

Brian Hanson

Richard Heille

Charles Kavaloski

Thomas Lanigan

Jerome Ludden

Daniel Lynch

David Marruffo

Michael McGinn

Lawrence Petrie

John Schneider

James Skara

David Strobel

Kou Vang

Rodney Yenish

City job openings as of May 18th, 2001

Application deadline	Job title	Bi-weekly or hourly salary rate	Exam date
06/01/01	Accountant III	\$1648.11	06/12/01
Open	Architect I - BOE	\$1543.14	See Job Ann
Open	Architect II - BOE	\$1736.21	See Job Ann
05/21/01	Budget Analyst	\$1515.55	See Job Ann
Open	Clerical Assistant BOE (part-time)	\$9.00 per hr	See Job Ann
05/25/01	Clerk III	\$1060.15	06/07/01
05/25/01	Clerk-Typist III	\$1088.39	06/07/01
Open	Emergency Communications Ctr Telecommunicator	\$1375.98	See Job Ann
05/29/01	Human Resources Records Clerk (prom)	\$1600.98	See Job Ann
Open	IS Information/Technical Analyst I	\$1201.32	See Job Ann
Open	IS Information/Technical Analyst II	\$1397.98	See Job Ann
Open	IS Information/Technical Analyst III	\$1550.12	See Job Ann
Open	IS Systems Support Specialist I	\$1085.87	See Job Ann
05/30/01	Librarian I (prom)	\$1339.39	See Job Ann
Open	Park Aide (temp/part-time)	\$7.86 per hr	See Job Ann
Open	Parking Enforcement Officer	\$921.24	See Job Ann
Open	Parks & Recreation Assistant (seasonal/part-time)	\$5.50 per hr	See Job Ann
Open	Police Security Ranger	\$9.18 per hr	See Job Ann
Open	Recreation Leader (permanent/part-time)	\$8.81 per hr	See Job Ann
Open	Sewer Services Worker	\$18.22 per hr	05/30/01
05/29/01	Zoo Keeper	\$1207.62	See Job Ann

** This is a walk-in-examination. Do not submit a job application before the test.

Note: Call or visit the Office of Human Resources to receive the official job announcement for these positions. Location: 400 City Hall Annex. Phone: 651-266-6500 (TTY/TDD 651-266-6501) or visit the web site: www.ci.stpaul.mn.us/jobopenings. For jobs announced after May 11th, please call our 24-hour job line, 651-266-6502.